

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

THEODORE WILLIAMS, DENNIS
McLAUGHLIN, JR., CHARLES CRAIG,
CHARLES ROBINSON, EDWARD GASDICK,
and FRANK TROMBETTA, individually and on
behalf of others similarly situated,

Plaintiffs,

v.

LESLIE S. RICHARDS, Secretary of
Pennsylvania Department of Transportation, in
her individual capacity; SCOTT CHRISTIE,
Deputy Secretary for Highway Administration,
Pennsylvania Department of Transportation, in
his individual capacity; H. DANIEL CESSNA,
District Executive, District 11, Pennsylvania
Department of Transportation, in his individual
capacity; and ANGELO PAMPENA, Senior
Highway Maintenance Manager in District 11 of
the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation
in his individual capacity.

Defendants.

Civil Action No.: 2:16-cv-00525-MPK

Class Action

JURY TRIAL DEMANDED

Magistrate Judge Maureen P. Kelly

Electronically Filed

Re: ECF No. 94

**ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR
ATTORNEYS' FEES, COSTS, AND EXPENSES**

Having reviewed and considered Plaintiffs' unopposed Motion for Attorneys' Fees, Costs, and Expenses; the supporting Memorandum of Law and supporting materials; and the entire record in this case; the Court hereby ORDERS that the Motion is GRANTED.

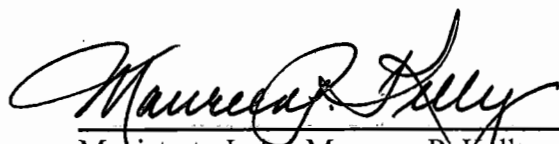
The Court has considered the factors set forth in Gunter v. Ridgewood Energy Corp., 223 F.3d 190, 195 n.1 (3d Cir. 2000) and finds that the requested attorney fee award of \$805,985.80 is a reasonable "percentage-of-recovery" as additionally confirmed by a "lode-star cross-check." See In re Prudential Insurance Co. America Sales Practice Litigation Agent Actions, 148 F.3d

283, 333 (3d Cir. 1998). The Court also finds that Plaintiffs' request for costs and expenses totaling \$28,296.50 should be approved.

The requested total award of \$834,282.30 is hereby approved and Defendants are directed to make payment of these fees, costs, and expenses as set forth in the parties' Settlement Agreement.

Dated: June 10, 2019

BY THE COURT:


Magistrate Judge Maureen P. Kelly